



## **BEARFACTS 1988 – 1998**

### **Waupaca , Wisconsin [55135]**

Waupaca is one of 72 counties in Wisconsin. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1998 population of 51,158 ranked 27th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1998 Waupaca had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$23,568. This PCPI ranked 30th in the state and was 90 percent of the state average, \$26,175, and 88 percent of the national average, \$26,883. The 1998 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.7 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 6.8 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. In 1988 the PCPI of Waupaca was \$14,111 and ranked 29th in the state. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 percent and for the nation was 4.5 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1998 Waupaca had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,205,687\*. This TPI ranked 27th in the state and accounted for 0.9 percent of the state total. In 1988 the TPI of Waupaca was \$639,400\* and ranked 27th in the state. The 1998 TPI reflected an increase of 9.9 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 7.4 percent and the national change was 7.4 percent. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.0 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Waupaca. In 1998 net earnings accounted for 64.4 percent of TPI (compared with 62.4 in 1988); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.2 percent (compared with 19.0 in 1988); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.3 percent (compared with 18.5 in 1988). From 1997 to 1998 net earnings increased 9.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 15.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.0 percent. From 1988 to 1998 net earnings increased on average 6.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 6.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.8 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Waupaca increased from \$668,192\* in 1997 to \$720,777\* in 1998, an increase of 7.9 percent. The 1997-1998 state change was 7.3 percent and the national change was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1988 estimate of \$366,735\* to the 1998 estimate was 7.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.9 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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